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Interview Summary	Application No. 09/312,479	Applicant(s) HENNICK ET AL.	
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Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☐ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____

Claim(s) discussed: _____


Identification of prior art discussed: _____

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☒ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Examiner informed Applicant that the Appeal Brief filed September 21, 2006 is still non-compliant. In order to simplify issues and further prosecution Applicant agreed to possibly filing an RCE. Examiner also indicated to the Applicant that claims 59, 66 and 73 has the most merit.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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